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Replace the paragraph beginning at page 21, line 7, with the following rewritten paragraph/s:

The organic EL element of Fig. 2 comprises an anode 2 formed on a transparent substrate 1, a hole transporting layer 3 containing at least a hole transporting material 13 and an acceptor 23, an electron injection restraining layer 4, a light emitting layer 5, and a cathode 8. In this case, each of the hole transporting layers 3 and 31, the electron injection restraining layer 4, and the light emitting layer 5 may be a single layer or multilayers.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 2.

Please substitute the following amended claims for corresponding claims previously presented. A copy of the amended claims showing current revisions is attached.